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1. [ ] (FDD) called to advise us that Ben Mandel has been in contact with [ ] referring to them two individuals well qualified in foreign languages. One of these individuals is particularly good and [ ] will probably hire him. [ ] also said that Mr. Reichert (committee unknown) from the Hill has also been in touch [ ] concerning possible candidates for employment. [ ]

2. [ ] on the CI Staff called to say that he has a memorandum prepared on [ ] which he had forwarded to us. However, he has requested that we contact him before any information is passed on to Congressman William S. Mailliard (R., Calif.).

3. [ ] (OO) called to say that [ ] (Mr. Mandel called us about him on 11 February) [ ] He has not been very cooperative with the Agency and [ ] doubts that any information which he had at the time of his defection would be of any use to us at this time.

4. [ ] (FDD) has been requested to translate the two-page article in the Soviet magazine, OGONEK, which was requested by Mr. Robert McManus (Senate Internal Security Subcommittee).

5. Talked with Mr. Farrell in Congressman D. S. Saund's office (D., Calif.) and advised him that in view of a tight schedule this week, we were unable to make definite arrangements for an appointment with the Congressman. However, we hope to be in touch with him next week. Mr. Farrell thanked us for calling.

6. [ ] of OCI called and requested the names of the major committees and subcommittees which the Agency has briefed from time to time. [ ] is preparing procedural material for Mr. Sheldon in connection with possible briefings of Congressional committees in the future.